

Media Advisory

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Commissioner to release report on disclosure of risks to health and safety

VICTORIA – On Monday, Dec. 2 at 9:30 a.m., B.C. Information and Privacy Commissioner Elizabeth Denham will release an investigation report on the topic of disclosures of risks to health and safety and matters in the public interest mandated by section 25 of the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* ("FIPPA").

The Commissioner's investigation was initiated in response to a written submission made by the BC Freedom of Information and Privacy Association, which alleged that public bodies were not meeting their obligations under s.25 of FIPPA.

Investigation Report F13-05: Public body disclosure of information under section 25 of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act will be available for download at 9:30 a.m. at: www.oipc.bc.ca

A province-wide news release will be issued summarizing the report.

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